



Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
U.S. Appln. No. 10/624,608

Docket No.: Q76067

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the present title with the following amended title:

**"A DIRECT-ALCOHOL FUEL-CELL STACK AND CORRESPONDING
METHOD OF FABRICATION"**

**Please replace the paragraph at page 9, lines 22-26 with the following amended
paragraph:**

The electrodes or catalysts CA, CC may comprise granules of carbon and a noble metal, such as for example platinum, palladium, rhodium, iridium, osmium or ruthenium, and the electrolyte EL can be in the form of a membrane of NaphionNafion®.

**Please replace the paragraph at page 9, lines 27-33 with the following amended
paragraph:**

In a preferred embodiment, it is possible to envisage deposition of the catalysts CA, CC on zeolite materials, with the aim of increasing the catalytic activity. The electrolyte EL may thus advantageously be in the form of a composite Nafion®Naphion-zeolite membrane, in order to enable reduction of the cross-over of methanol.